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The Trouble at Columbus

BY LEO.

The Licking county grand jury, after a thorough investigation of the Newark riot, reported that the main cause of all the rioting and lynching was "weak officials."

This is probably the weak spot in the administration of the city of Columbus. Mayor Marshall is too weak an official to manage affairs in critical and dangerous times. Almost any captain can manage his ship when the sea is calm, the wind steady, and all hands on deck in a peaceable mood. In a storm it is different. Then the captain shows his capacity or lack of it. Many a fine ship has gone down because of incapable officers.

When Theodore Roosevelt made his great speech at Columbus he insisted on it that weak and irresolute officers are the bane of city government; and he said the first thing to be done in the situation they were in was to put down rioting at any and all cost. Rev. Washington Gladden had said the same in his pulpit forty days before Roosevelt came to the city. It is the dictum of common sense.

Why has it not been done? The answer is "weak officials." Mayor Marshall is not the man for the crisis. Suppose a man like Grover Cleveland was or Theodore Roosevelt is had the chief control of things in Columbus during the strike, would the rioting have continued all these weeks? Either of these men would have ended the trouble long ago with a vigor which becomes the situation.

The people of Columbus, many of them, petition the governor to remove the present mayor that law and order may prevail ever more. Perhaps Marshall's removal might be a blessing, but why not put some of the blame on the governor himself? He has called out troops and kept them in Columbus at great expense to the state, and fears to use them to put down rioting. What is the use of calling out military forces and do nothing to put down anarchy in the city?

It seems to us that both the governor and the mayor have been playing politics all these days of rioting. They think of re-election, perhaps, and fear to deal a telling blow for law and order for fear of losing votes. And as a result of their cunning inactivity they forfeit people's confidence, and will lose more votes than if they had acted promptly and sternly.

Have they forgotten the sternness and promptness of Grover Cleveland in dealing with the rioters of Chicago? They were burning cars and maiming citizens as if they had nothing to fear from the government at Washington. Mr. Cleveland taught them a lesson. Has Governor Harmon forgotten what his old chief did erst while? If Governor Harmon had acted with

the promptness of Grover Cleveland the rioting in our capital city would have been ended long ago.

Suppose Harmon had been president during the Chicago riots and showed no greater courage and skill than he does now at Columbus, what would have become of the great city on the lakes? It gives one the horrors to think of it. Oh, no, Governor Harmon is not made for times of trouble. He is too amiable and dignified to strike a telling blow at the rioters. They know him, and fear him not. The Democrats may nominate Harmon for the presidency in 1912, but his election will not follow. He is not the man for the place, as he has clearly demonstrated during the last forty days.

And yet, Harmon made a good governor for a while. When there is not much to do but to appoint officers, and make nice little speeches at county fairs, and do financing for the state, Governor Harmon is all right—a nice man and good governor. He is a good captain in fine weather, but in a storm is not efficient. Well, let us say it is the man's nature. Perhaps he is doing his best, but if so his best is inadequate. Ohio must retire him in November. The Ship of State needs a new captain.

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Ninevah.

Owing to the rainy weather there is still some tobacco to cut. Seeding of wheat is in progress, but what is to be sown in corn ground will be a little late as the corn is not ripening very fast and there is hardly any cut yet.

Mrs. Peter Unger and children returned Saturday from a week's visit with her parents at Latty, Ohio.

One of John Fourman's boys, the one at home, will be operated on today for appendicitis, owing to which there is no school today, his brother Russell being the teacher.

W. G. Ludy's and Isaac Unger's were Sunday guests of Willie Fourman's.

Dale Bowers was at Arcanum Sunday afternoon.

Willis Rogers and family visited at Elman Townsend's Sunday. Sam Ludy and wife went to Arcanum Sunday afternoon in their auto.

Pearl Unger's and Sam Huston's attended the Troy fair.

B. E. Delk and family spent Saturday night and Sunday in Hollansburg.

Sept. 19. GAIL.

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Gettysburg.

Days and nights are now equal and weather is assuming the condition usual for the time of year. Few people saw frost, but its effects are not visible. Light frost would be helpful to ripen the growing corn which seems to have taken on new life since the recent rains.

A beginning has been made at sowing wheat. The wet condition of the ground is retarding the work of seeding. Corn cutting has begun, but little corn seems ripe enough to put on shock.

Our village schools began today in other buildings than our academy buildings. Our children can study and gain knowledge in any building sufficient to protect them from the inclemencies of the weather and give them comfort.

P. B. Moul and family were Greenville visitors yesterday.

Charles A. George of Indianapolis was a visitor here with his mother several days last week.

H. M. Dershem and family were visitors of Ed. Swinger's family yesterday, and attended the Sunday school convention held at Beech Grove.

Jacob Bowman's had P. B. Miller and wife for guests yesterday.

Franklin and Monroe township held an all day joint convention yesterday at Beech Grove church. It was ye scribe's good fortune to be there and hear the many good things served. The attendance was large, the program was good and well executed and can not fail to give the Sunday school cause a new impetus. Prof. J. S. Royer failed to materialize with his spread of good things, much to the disappointment of many of those in attendance. The weather was somewhat unpropitious, but we never knew Brother Royer to fail from such cause. We suspect he was sick, and unable to be there, for he enjoys to teach as much as many of us enjoy to hear him. The occasion was well improved by other speakers, among whom was a lady state worker, who gave us a spread of very excellent things well served.

On next Sunday at 2 p.m. our Adams Township Sunday School Association will hold a convention at Oakland U. B. church, where the Sunday school cause will be ably presented. Let there be a generous support, and get what may be there for us.

Sept. 19.

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PROBATE COURT.

Order of private sale returned and order of public sale issued in assignment of Julia A. and A. J. Miller.

First account filed in estate of John A. Tillman.

First account filed in estate of Emanuel Miller.

Petition to sell real estate filed in guardianship of Nancy A. Martin.

Fifth account filed in guardianship of Joseph A. Reiling, showing receipts of \$474.23 and disbursements of \$59.39.

Petition for allowance of claim filed in estate of W. E. George.

Petition to sell real estate filed in estate of Margaret Ryan.

Inventory filed in estate of Ella Evans, showing real estate valued at \$1800. Petition filed to sell real estate.

Order of appraisement issued in guardianship of F. Scipio Lehman.

Wm. Freel was appointed administrator of estate of Frances E. Freel; bond \$1400.

Petition filed to sell real estate in estate of Joseph Scott.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John Vian, 31, laborer, St. Henry, O., and Mrs. Mary Reagle, 42, Allen township.

Hal McCullister, 26, electrician, Columbus, O., and Matilda E. Hoelscher, 20, Greenville township, daughter of William Hoelscher.

LeRoy Spencer, 23, ditcher, Eldorado, son of L. C. Spencer, and Ida F. Haller, 18, Eldorado, daughter of George M. Haller.

Jesse Smith, 19, school teacher, Jackson township, son of Jeremiah Smith, and Jessie Replogle, 20, Brown township, daughter of Wm. Replogle.

Jesse Shaffer, 21, farmer, Miami Co., O., and Bertha L. Odell, 20, Monroe township, daughter of W. H. Odell.

Edvard M. Hering, 27, cashier, Cincinnati, O., and Anna Mae Guthridge, 23, Greenville, daughter of Albert Guthridge.

Lewis L. Bragg, 22, laborer, Mississinawa township, son of Ephraim Bragg, and Velma A. Oswalt, 21, Mississinawa township, daughter of Frank Oswalt.

Harry C. Boze, 25, conductor, son of Hiram Boze, and Ida Mae Linder, 24, Woodington, daughter of Wm. Linder.

A. E. Hershey, 28, book-keeper, New Castle, Ind., son of Edward Hershey, and Ruth E. Briney, 16, Van Buren township, daughter of Joseph M. Briney.

COMMON PLEAS COURT.

NEW CASES.

19374—L. A. Nauss versus John, Della I. and Callie Ream; suit for \$800 and interest.

19375—Etta Howell versus Anson M. Brown; for partition of real estate, accounting, etc.

19376—First National Bank of New Bremen, O., versus T. J. and Mary E. Burns; for \$2000 and foreclosure of mortgage.

19377—Mary J. and Elizabeth Martin versus Board of County Commissioners; error.

19378—J. W. Oda versus Ira Musselman and others; injunction and \$100 as damages.

19379—Charles Runner versus Herman Simon; suit for \$200.

19380—U. G. Earnest, guardian of Samuel Long, an imbecile, versus Elizabeth Long and others; to set aside contract, deed and mortgage.

19381—Vernon K. Craig versus Grace D. Craig; for divorce, wilful absence charged.

19382—Fanny L. Fast versus Willard V. Fast; for divorce, extreme cruelty charged.

REGISTER OF DEEDS.

G. C. Gates to M. B. Gates, undivided one-half of 160 acres in Mississinawa township, \$1.

J. R. George to C. Brinkmeir, 2 acres in Wayne township, \$1200.

S. C. Johnson, adm'r, to C. L. Loy, 30 acres in Patterson township, \$1229.95.

F. B. Y. Plummer to W. F. Younker, 100 acres in Richland township, \$1229.95.

J. S. Reed to L. Burk, a lot in Ithaca, \$500.

E. A. Reed to J. S. Reed, a lot in Ithaca, \$1.

S. J. Requarth to J. C. Requarth, 54 and 58-100 acres in Greenville township, \$1025.

V. C. Teaford to I. S. Wenger, a lot in New Madison, \$625.

T. H. Harp to Kirk Hoffman, a lot in Greenville, \$1500.

J. F. Murphy to Wm. Ansenbaugh, 3 and 4-160 acres in Allen township, \$750.

Sheriff to S. R. Wampler, 7½ acres in Brown township, \$380.

W. A. Wampler to J. Wampler, 7½ acres in Brown township, \$300.

W. A. Wampler to S. R. Wampler, 18 acres in Brown township, \$5209.27.

H. Wolfal to Wm. H. Hollinger, 23 acres in Harrison township, \$2800.

J. G. Eubank to C. E. Swisholm, a lot in New Madison, \$1000.

Sarah M. George, adm'r, to J. C. Reck, 100 acres in Greenville township, \$8900.

J. Sleppy to J. L. Shaeffer, 62 and 44-100 acres in Harrison township, \$5800.

W. H. Vance to L. Wick, a small tract in Patterson township, \$80.

S. Kleinschmidt to C. K. Worch, 43 acres in Wayne township, \$3200.

J. Q. Helman to A. Skinner, 40 acres in Mississinawa township, \$2650.

F. U. Schreel to A. McGriff, a lot in Greenville, \$600.

W. Detling to I. C. Loy, 28½ acres in Brown township, \$2200.

A. McGriff to V. S. Marker, a lot in Greenville, \$1800.

E. Baty to L. Baty, a lot in Yorkshire, \$500.

G. H. Hirsch to M. Hirsch, 77½ acres in Allen township, no consideration named.

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What Constitutes a Subscriber?

A court decision has lately been rendered in Massachusetts on what constitutes a subscriber. The judge firmly believed that the man who received the paper, although he never subscribed for it, is entitled to pay.

James Thompson moved, and William Robinson took immediate possession and received and accepted a weekly newspaper that was delivered to him through the mails every week. The good-natured editor sent accounts frequently, but no attention was paid to them by Mr. Robinson.

Finally there was a day of reckoning. Robinson had received the paper for some time, he informed the collector, but he said that he never subscribed and declined to pay for it. The judge personally questioned the defendant, who said that he had read and made use of it and was receiving the accounts, which were frequently inclosed in the paper.

Judgment was rendered in favor of the newspaper. The judge was severe in his criticism of people who are receiving papers and do not think it worth while to pay for what they receive and make use of. It is an act of dishonesty, he said. One should acquaint the publisher and pay for whatever numbers he receives.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

What's in McClure's.

The leading feature in the October McClure's is the opening of a new series entitled Working Girls' Budgets: A Series of Articles Based upon Individual Studies of the Self-Supporting Girls in New York. The series opens with an article on New York department store girls, in which the stories of individual workers are given in detail.

The second installment of Goldwin Smith's Reminiscences deals with the founding of Cornell University, and his introduction to Washington society. An article on John and Simon Newcomb is a most curious and interesting study of heredity. John E. Redmond, the leader of the Irish party in Parliament, tells in a short and striking article What Ireland Wants. A number of letters from Roman Catholic organizations, challenging Percival Gibbon's account of the Ferrer trial, together with an article by Andrew J. Shipman, entitled An American Catholic's View of the Ferrer Case, are printed in this number of McClure's, together with Mr. Gibbon's reply to his critics.

The fiction in this number is strong and distinctive. Perhaps the most striking story is A Tale Out of Season, by Elsie Singmaster. The second of Percival Gibbon's Adventures of Miss Gregory is a vivid searchlight cast on one of the dark corners of the African coast. Mrs. Landy's Castaway, by Freeman Putney, Jr., and The Widow Who Couldn't Shoot, by Franklin K. Gifford, are the other two stories in this number.

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Newspaper Space.

Every line in a newspaper costs its publisher something. If it is to benefit some individual, he may fairly expect to pay something. You do not go into a grocery and ask the proprietor to hand you out ten pounds of sugar for nothing, even the grocer may be a personal friend and even though the gift might not be a large one.

If the beneficiary of advertising does not pay for it, the proprietor has to settle the bill. Nevertheless many people cannot seem to learn that a newspaper pays its expenses by renting space, and that it is just as much entitled to collect rent for every day that space is occupied as you are for the house you rent to a tenant.

Most newspapers expect to treat religious and philanthropic enterprises liberally, yet in spite of this many of these enterprises expect the newspaper to give them space rent free, while they carry their job printing to some other shop. The place for them to look for support, is the place they patronize.

Religious organizations, we are sorry to say, are the worst offenders in this line that we have to deal with. We believe that we are just as good Christians, and are just as generous as the average merchant on the street. We therefore cannot understand why we are repeatedly besought to give away our goods, by people who would never think of begging cream from the milkman or coffee from the grocer. —Gouverneur (N. Y.) Free Press.

How Good News Spreads.

"I am 70 years old and travel most of the time," writes B. F. Tolson, of Elizabethtown, Ky. "Everywhere I go I recommend Electric Bitters, because I owe my excellent health and vitality to them. They effect a cure every time." They never fail to tone the stomach, regulate the kidneys and bowels, stimulate the liver, invigorate the nerves, and purify the blood. They work wonders for weak, run-down men and women, restoring strength, vigor and health that's a daily joy. Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction is positively guaranteed by Wm. Kipp's Sons Co.

Unidentified. Officer—Whose little boy was it just fell off the wharf? Tommy—Dunno. When they fished him out he wuz so clean day couldn't identify him.—Spokane Spokesman-Review.

Debility, the Condition that Saps your Vitality, Undermines your Constitution and Blights your Future

Many men have been wrecked by their own neglect, and if you are reaping the results of your former excesses or have noticed the slightest loss of vigor, nervousness, failing memory, dizziness, loss of ambition or any other similar symptom, you have no time to lose. Each one of your symptoms means the serious progress of a disease or weakness that will certainly rob you of your strength and unfit you for business or a good position in life. Dr. Kutchin cures these conditions.

Dr. Kutchin's next visit to Greenville, will be on Friday, Sept. 23rd, at the Turpin House. Consultation, examination and advice free.

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